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FOR PATENT APPLICATION



a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,
 I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first
 and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which
 a patent is sought on the invention entitled APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR REMOVING COMPOUNDS FROM A SOLUTION,
 the specification of which

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one) is attached hereto.

was filed on 28 March 1994 as
Application Serial No. 08/218,920
and was amended on _____
(if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification,
 including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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 patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)			Priority Claimed	
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 in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United
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 the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

<u>07/880,659</u> (Application Serial No.)	<u>05/08/92</u> (Filing Date)	<u>pending</u> (Status) (patented, pending, abandoned)
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VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS (37 CFR 2.9(f) and 1.27(b)) - INDEPENDENT INVENTOR

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that I qualify as an independent inventor as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(c) for purposes of paying reduced fees under Section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, to the Patent and Trademark Office with regard to the invention entitled APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR REMOVING COMPOUNDS FROM A SOLUTION

described in

- the specification filed herewith
 application serial no. 08/218,920, filed March 28, 1994
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I have not assigned, granted, conveyed or licensed and am under no obligation under contract or law to assign, grant, convey or license, any rights in the invention to any person who could not be classified as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person had made the invention, or to any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

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